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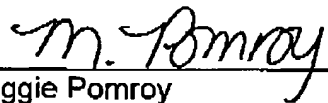
In re Application: Tomohisa Honda et al. ] GRP ART UNIT: 2871  
Serial No: 10/748,434 ] Ex.: Schechter, Andrew M.  
Filed: December 30, 2003 ]  
For: SUBSTRATE FOR MONOCHROME LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY  
APPARATUS AND PRODUCTION METHOD THEREFOR

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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated December 7, 2005, setting a 3-month shortened statutory period for a reply ending on March 7, 2006, the applicants submits the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application.

Also enclosed is the Request for Two-Month Extension of Time, thereby extending the end date of the current term to Monday, May 8, 2006, accompanied by the authorization to charge the fee of \$450.00 to Deposit Account No. 12-0400. No other fee is believed to be required, but, if this is not

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